

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Manabu Kll et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2163
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Application No.: 10/027,194	)	Examiner: Michael Le
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Filed: December 20, 2001	)	
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For: SERVICE OFFERING SYSTEM,	)	Confirmation No.: 9663
MANAGEMENT SERVER,	)	
SERVICE PROVIDER, TERMINAL	)	
DEVICE, STORAGE MEDIUM	)	
ISSUING APPARATUS, SERVER	)	
OFFERING METHOD, AND	)	
STORAGE MEDIUM	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2009, the period for response to which extends through June 4, 2009, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.